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SATURDAY

P. ADVERTISING RATES.

th	1 w.	1 m.	3 m.	6 m.	1 yr.
1st	\$2.25	\$6.50	\$15.00	\$28.00	\$50.00
2d	1.50	4.50	10.00	18.00	35.00
3d	1.00	3.00	7.00	12.00	25.00
4th	.75	2.25	5.00	9.00	18.00
5th	.50	1.50	3.50	6.00	12.00
6th	.25	.75	1.75	3.00	6.00

MONDAY EVENING, MAY 13, 1878.

RECEPTION AT THE FRENCH CONSULATE.—The most brilliant social event of the present season was the very charming reception held at the French Consulate on the evening of May 6th. There is no residence in the city more marked for the ease and elegance of its hospitality, or for the enjoyable character of its entertainments than this, and the result is at all times the very cordial acceptance (by invited guests) of the civilities so graciously dispensed, ensuring always an agreeable reunion of our most charming people. On Tuesday evening last this was conspicuously the case, and the reception given in compliment to guests from a distance was perhaps the most brilliant of the season. A very novel and at the same time a very agreeable decoration added to the beauty of the brilliantly illuminated rooms and in this charming atmosphere of grace and blooming beauty the pleasures of the evening had two soon become a memory of departed hours. Among the guests were many distinguished (American and foreign) who could have no fairer picture of Virginia's capital "old house," or been themselves more favorably presented than as guests at the Vice Consulate. The Governor of Virginia also was conspicuous among the guests, the man above all others in Virginia whom the good and true throughout the State delight to honor, and to greet as the representative of all we dare now claim or hope for in the future of our dear old State.—*Richmond Transcript.*

## CANDIDATES.

[All announcements must invariably be paid for in advance. No notice will be taken of orders unless they are accompanied with the cash.]

## CITY SERGEANT.

TO THE PEOPLE OF ALEXANDRIA CITY.—I take this method of announcing myself a candidate for re-election to the office of City Sergeant. Two years ago you appointed me to fill this place in a manner so flattering to myself that I feel now, as I did then, that my best efforts could never discharge the obligations under which you have placed me. For that manifestation of your confidence and regard, I have labored to fulfill the duties of the office so that no one should regret the selection you then made, and I hope I have done so acceptably to all. I thank you for the approbation in the past and would receive your endorsement again I can only pledge a continuance of the same official conduct in the future. I believe I have discharged my duties to the satisfaction of the court, the attorneys, the jurists and all others having business relations with the courts, as well as to the public, and in asking your renewed support I am confident that no dereliction can be charged against me. I have always endeavored to act fairly, to make no distinction, to do no injustice to any one, and to be an impartial public officer. I therefore ask your undivided support in the approaching election, and if it should be your pleasure to elect me, it will be mine always to faithfully subserve your truest interests.

Very truly your obedient servant,  
R. T. LUCAS.  
mh 29-46

## COMMONWEALTH'S ATTORNEY.

A CARD.—In view of the fact that the Conservative Committee have adopted the most arbitrary mode of procedure in the pending campaign, I have concluded not to subject myself to this petty tyranny, but to submit my claims as an independent candidate to the people at large.

Believing that my honor is as unquestionable and my conservatism as true as those of many who profess to be the champions of the party, I have no hesitancy in making this step.

The idea of compelling the payment of the capitation tax as a qualification for suffrage at the primary election, was one whose absurdity alone excused its audacity; its foundation rested on no law or reason, and the committee did well to abandon it.

As to the colored vote, I think the late election, namely that which sent Messrs. Murchbach and Hunter to the Legislature, should be in credit for judging of the colored man's conservatism.

The Republican Committee of the United States have adopted the plan of reorganizing the republics of the Southern States, and in the very act of reorganization, for the last fourteen years, has been that the colored man voted contrary to his and our own good, now of all times, is the hour to take them into our ranks.

Two hundred colored men nobly supported our cause in the last contest, and yet they are excluded from exercising a choice in the selection of our own party, presents at the moment a most anomalous and unjust situation.

I am a earnest advocate of justice, and I therefore ask your undivided support, as well as all sound thinking men, to consider the propriety of this step. I pray every citizen to see from the facts from the most urgent inspection, and earnestly ask their support.

This step of course is made under the impression that the committee will exclude all colored conservatives, except such as best serve their purposes.

my 2 to C. F. MARKELL.

## THE FRIENDS OF EDMUND BURKE.

my 2 to C. F. MARKELL.

## CORPORATION ATTORNEY.

I RESPECTFULLY announce myself a candidate for re-election to the office of Corporation Attorney, subject to the decision of the primary election.

CHARLES E. STUART.

## SUPERINTENDENT OF POLICE.

I RESPECTFULLY announce myself a candidate for the office of Superintendent of Police at the election to be held May 23.

my 2 to EDWARD HUGHES.

## CLERK OF GAS.

TO THE VOTERS OF ALEXANDRIA CITY.—I respectfully announce myself a candidate for the office of Clerk of the Gas Works, and earnestly ask the support of my fellow citizens at the election to be held on May 23d. (my 6 to) JAMES J. DORRITY.

## ICE CREAM, &amp;c.

FOR THE WARM WEATHER.

I still keep, 29 King street,  
C. constantly on hand,  
E. every day the year round,  
C. choice country Cream,  
C. richly flavored and frozen;  
E. very ingredient pure and fresh;  
A. and will insure  
M. out complete satisfaction.

Water, Soda Water, Cakes, Pies, Fruit, Confectionery and Tonic Beer, of my own manufacture, always on hand.  
Orders promptly attended to and families supplied.

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## JUST RECEIVED THE NEW PATENT

WATER COOLER AND REFRIGERATOR.—This is a perfect and convenient nursery Refrigerator and a first class Water Cooler, and the best of an ordinary nursery Refrigerator. For keeping milk, butter and small fruits, fresh and cold, it has no rival. Call and examine it at 65 King st.

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## RAILROADS.

WASHINGTON & OHIO RAILROAD.

SPRING ARRANGEMENT, TWO TRAINS DAILY (EXCEPT SUNDAY) BETWEEN ALEXANDRIA AND ROUND HILL.

Beginning May 13, 1878.

Leave Washington at 9:10 a.m. and 4:20 p.m., and Alexandria at 9:15 a.m. and 4:25 p.m.; pass Leesburg, going westward at 11:20 a.m., and 6:40 p.m., and arrive at Round Hill at 12 m. and 7:20 p.m. Leave Round Hill at 5:30 a.m. and 12:30 p.m., pass Leesburg, going eastward, at 10 a.m. and 1:10 p.m., and arrive at Alexandria at 8:25 a.m. and 3:15 p.m., and at Washington at 8:35 a.m. and 3:30 p.m.

Passengers from Washington will take the Washington and Ohio cars at the Baltimore and Potomac Railroad station at 12 m. and 4:20 p.m., and go through to Round Hill without change of cars.

The 9:15 a.m. train from Alexandria and 12:30 p.m. train from Round Hill connect at Round Hill with Harris' Daily Line of Coaches for Snickersville, Barryville and Winchester; also with Kosmer's Line of Coaches, which leave Leesburg daily for Aldie and Middleburg.

Both trains, westward, make close connections, at Vienna, with Sisson's Line of Stages for Fairfax Court House.

Communication tickets, 3 cts. per mile Annual tickets, \$6.

R. H. HAYNER, General Ticket Agent.

W. C. VING, MIDLAND & O. S. R. R. JOHN S. BARBOUR, Receiver.

On and after Sunday, March 3, 1878, Passenger Trains will run as follows:

South Bound.	Express Daily.	Express Daily.	Mail daily except Sunday.
Washington, Va.	2:55 a.m.	9:30 p.m.	8:25 a.m.
Alexandria, Va.	3:25 "	10 "	9 "
Gordonsville, Va.	7:03 "	1:17 a.m.	12:55 p.m.
Charlottesville, Va.	8:00 "	2:08 "	2:10 "
Lynchburg, Va.	10:45 "	4:52 "	4:55 "
Danville, Va.	2:31 p.m.	6:57 "	
Dundee, Va.	2:35 "	7:00 "	
North Bound.	Express Daily.	Express Daily.	Mail daily except Sunday.
Dundee, Va.	1:00 p.m.	10:30 p.m.	
Lynchburg, Va.	4:15 "	1:05 a.m.	12:20 a.m.
Charlottesville, Va.	7:17 "	3:32 "	12:20 p.m.
Gordonsville, Va.	8:22 "	4:25 "	1:40 "
Alexandria, Va.	12:15 p.m.	7:40 "	6:35 "
Washington, Va.	12:45 "	8:10 "	6:05 "

THE MAIL SOUTH BOUND connects at LYNCHBURG for the WEST and South west, and at Gordonsville, with Ches. & Ohio R. R. for Richmond and West.

The Evening Express Southward connects at Gordonsville with Ches. & Ohio West, and at Danville with R. & D. for the Carolinas, Georgia, Florida and all the South West. Through sleeper to Savannah, Ga.

The Morning Express south bound, with through sleeper, for New Orleans, connects at Lynchburg for the West and South West, and at Danville, for South, South East and South West.

For WARRENTON leave Washington 8:25 a.m. and Alexandria 9:00 a.m., daily, except Sunday.

Passengers for MANASSAS LEAVE Washington 8:25 a.m. and Alexandria 9:00 a.m. daily, except Sunday. Returning, leave Strasburg 6:00 a.m., and arrive at Alexandria at 12:15 p.m.

For CANANDAIGUA and the North, 7:40 p.m. daily, except Saturday, with Palace Car to Watkins. For Watkins, 10:10 a.m. daily except Sunday.

LOCAL TRAINS.

For Alexandria 6:57, 9:10, 10:10 and 11 a.m., and 1, 3, 4:20, 5, 6:00 and 7 p.m. On Sunday at 9:10 a.m., and 1 and 7 p.m.

Trains leave Alexandria for Washington, 6:7, 8:10, 9:10, 10 and 11 a.m., 1, 3, 4:20, 5, 6 and 7 p.m.

On Sunday at 9:10 and 10 a.m., and 6 p.m.

THROUGH TRAIN FOR THE SOUTH, via Quantico and Richmond, will leave Alexandria at 3:10 a.m. daily, and 6:35 p.m. daily, except Sunday.

Tickets and information can be procured at principal railroad stations, or ticket offices.

FRANK THOMSON, General Manager, nov 13

## HARDWARE AND CUTLERY.

B. F. PEAKE,

DEALER IN

Doors, Sash, Blinds, Hardware,

Paints, Oils, Leads, Cement, Lumber, Lime, Calced Plaster, Slate Mantles, Hearths, &c., &c.,

CORNER KING AND PITT STREETS,

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DOORS, SASH, BLINDS, HARDWARE,

PAINTS, OILS, LEADS, CEMENT,

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SLATE MANTLES,

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HARDWARE, CUTLERY, HORSE SHOES

Iron, Plough Castings, Nail Rods, Axle Grease, Wagon Materials, House-keepers' Goods, &c., &c.

NO. 88 KING STREET, CORNER ROYAL

mh 8 Alexandria, Virginia.

WE WILL have during the summer season at our BRANCH STORE a supply of

SODA, VICHY, KISSENGER and SELTZER WATERS, in quart glass syphon bottles.

These bottles can be taken home, kept in a cool place, and the waters drawn off through the syphon at any time and in any quantities wanted. For the Soda Water we will furnish by the pint or smaller quantity delicious FRUIT SYRUPS of any flavor desired. For invalids they will be found peculiarly desirable. Price 25c per bottle. Bottles to be returned.

JANNEY & CO.

A. GLASHEIT,

WHOLESALE

CONFECTIONER

125 KING STREET.

## STEAMERS.

RESUMPTION OF ROUTE.

On and after THURSDAY, February 14th, 1878, the steamer MATTANO, Captain Wm. H. Byles, will be run as follows: Leave Alexandria EVERY MONDAY, THURSDAY and SATURDAY, from King street wharf, at half-past seven o'clock a.m., for Landings on the Potomac as far down as Nomini. Leave Nomini EVERY TUESDAY and FRIDAY MORNING, at 6 o'clock, for Washington, arriving early the same evening. Freight received daily.

Feb 11 J. BRODERS & CO., Agents.

INLAND & SEABOARD COASTING CO.

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DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

This company offers unrivalled facilities for the transportation of freight and passengers, and will run their steamers regularly as follows:

FOR NEW YORK

The Atlantic Steamship Co. K. NIGHT and JOHN GIBSON leave the company's wharf, Alexandria, EVERY MONDAY MORNING, and New York, from pier 41 East River, EVERY SATURDAY at four o'clock p.m.

FOR NORFOLK.

The elegant, new and substantial steamer LADY OF THE LAKE, leaves the company's wharf, Washington, EVERY MONDAY, WEDNESDAY and FRIDAY, at five o'clock p.m., and Alexandria at 6:30 p.m.; returning, leaves Norfolk EVERY TUESDAY, THURSDAY and SATURDAY, at 5 o'clock p.m. This line connects at Norfolk with the ships of the Merchants' and Minors Transportation Company for Boston and Providence, and affords the cheapest and best route to those cities and their connections throughout New England. Fare to Norfolk \$4; round trip \$6. Tickets good until used.

FOR THE POTOMAC RIVER LANDINGS.

The new and commodious iron steamer JOHN W. THOMPSON, built especially for this route, leaves the company's wharf, Washington, EVERY MONDAY, THURSDAY and SATURDAY, at 7 o'clock a.m., and Alexandria at 7:30 a.m.; returning, arrives EVERY WEDNESDAY, FRIDAY and SUNDAY, at 6 o'clock p.m.

This company makes close connections at Alexandria with the W. & O. R. R. & O. S. R. R. and with the Ches. & Ohio R. R. Freight received for all points, North and South, handled with care and forwarded with promptness and dispatch.

For further information apply to F. A. REED, Agent.

or at the office of the company, under the National Metropolitan Bank, 16th street, opposite the Treasury Department, Washington.

mh 10 SAMUEL BACON, President.

CLYDE'S STEAM LINES WEEKLY TO PHILADELPHIA, PROVIDENCE AND BOSTON.

Steamers leave Alexandria, EVERY TUESDAY and leave Philadelphia EVERY SATURDAY, at 12 o'clock m. from Pier No. 1 N. Wharves.

This line connects at Alexandria with the O. & A. M. and W. & O. R. R., and at Philadelphia with the new and popular "Iron Line," for Providence and Boston.

Freight forwarded with promptness and care, free of commissions.

No charge for transfer in Philadelphia, and no wharfage in Boston. Through to Boston in sixty-five hours. Through rates and through bills of lading given. Insurance guaranteed at less than usual rates.

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E. J. MILLER & CO.,

DEALERS IN

CHINA, GLASS AND QUEENSWARE,

65 King street, Alexandria,

Respectfully call the attention of the trade to their large and splendid selection of

CHINA, GLASSWARE, &c.,

which they offer for sale at the

LOWEST RATES.

They also have in store a large assortment of

LAMPS OF ALL KINDS,

including all the latest patents and designs.

A call is solicited. Orders from the country promptly filled.

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HOUSEFURNISHING GOODS, CUTLERY,

PLATED, PLANISHED, STAMPED,

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107 King street, Alexandria, Va.

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OSCAR F. BAGGETT,

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FIRST CLASS BEEF, VEAL, LAMB,

MUTTON, &c., &c.

CORNER BEEF A SPECIALTY.

Stalls—8 and 9 Centre Market, Royal st. wing.

Marketing delivered free of charge to all parts of the city.

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CHOICE BEEF, VEAL, MUTTON, LAMB,

CORNERED AND SMOKED BEEF

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SPRING LAMB, the first of the season.

Marketing delivered free to all parts of the city. No. 8 Market Building, Alexandria, Va.

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FINEST SHOES.

Inevitable fashion has decreed

SHORT DRESSES.

This necessitates the wearing of shoes that will bear inspection.

The popular demand is for concession in prices. Both are met by

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REFRIGERATORS!

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We have in store and are constantly receiving all the latest improved styles of Refrigerators, consisting of the Chest, Upright and Porcelain lined, which we are selling as cheap as they can be procured anywhere.

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FOR CREAM FREEZERS!

ICE CREAM FREEZERS!

We have just received an invoice of the celebrated GOUGH PATENT FREEZER, which gave general satisfaction last season and pronounced by all who used them the best in use.

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## FANCY GOODS.

J. FERGUSON & BRO.

We have opened our stock for the season, consisting in part of:—

DRESS TRIMMINGS, Black and Colored Silk Fringes, Worsted Fringes, in plain and mixed colors, Buttons, &c.

HAMBURG AND TOROHON LACES, Hosiery, Gloves, Corsets, &c., in great variety.

LADIES' NECK WEAR—Ruchings, Ties, Bows, Scarfs, Fancy Ribbons, Veilings, &c.

HOOP SKIRTS all styles on hands and made to order at short notice.

FUR FRAMES, in Walnut, Gilt and fancy mouldings, all sizes, and made to order.